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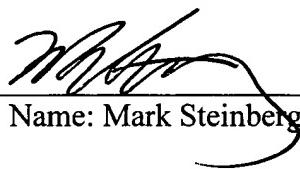
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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing in connection with the above-identified patent application are the following documents:

1. An Amendment under 37 CFR § 1.111;
2. a Petition for a three-month extension of time to file a response to the Office Action mailed on April 16, 2003;
3. a return receipt post card.

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Claim fees have been calculated as follows:

Claim Fees:

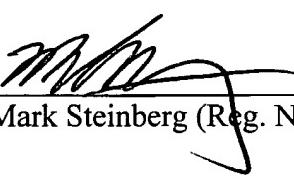
	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest No. Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Rate	Additional Fee
Total	44	20	24	\$18.00	\$ 432
Independent Claims	7	3	4	\$86.00	\$ 344
Multiple Dependent Claim					
				<i>Total:</i>	\$ 776

The claims fees associated with this submission total \$ 776, for which authorization is hereby given to charge our Deposit Account No. 50-1402. A **duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.**

No additional fees are believed to be required. If an additional fee or extension is required, please consider this a petition therefor, and authorization is hereby given to charge such additional fees to our Deposit Account No. 50-1402.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: October 16, 2003

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